GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3483
ANSWERED ON:16.04.2002
ALLOCATION OF FUNDS UNDER RURAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES TO ASSAM AND NORTH EASTERN STATES
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that average release of funds in the case of Assam and other Northern States for Rural Development Schemes, especially for Employment Assurance Scheme have been far below the national average of such releases during the last three years;

(b) if so, the percentage of release of funds for these States during the said period, scheme-wise; and

(c) the reasons for low utilization of funds on such schemes ?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT(SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) The requisite details in respect of Employment Assurance Scheme and other allocation based rural development schemes for North-Eastern States including Assam are as per Statement Annexed.

(c) Does not arise.

Annexure

Statement referred to in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3483 due for reply on 16.4.2002

(Rs. in crores)

S.No	Scheme	Year 1999-2000			Year 2000-2001			Year 2001-2002		
		Allocati	Release	%	Allocati	Release	%	Allocat	Release	%
1	EAS	81.69	76.52	93.67	130.00	69.73	53.64	160.00	183.34	114.59
2	SGSY	49.38	47.16	95.50	100.00	24.94	24.94	70.00	56.27	80.39
3	DRDA	+			22.00	17.97	81.68	22.00	21.32	96.91
4	JGSY	73.99	50.84	68.71	165.00	39.88	24.17	165.00	187.56	113.67
5	NSAP	27.86	20.46	73.44	71.50	57.05	79.79	63.50	55.96	88.13
6	IAY	206.30	181.40	87.93	174.00	127.84	73.47	175.70	130.03	74.01
7	Annapurna	+			10.00	9.90	99.00	10.00	2.95	29.50
8	Training	1.65	2.84	172.12	1.70	3.35	197.06	1.80	1.80	100.00
9	IEC	1.00	1.00	100.00	1.00	1.00	100.00	1	0.5	50.00
11	ARWSP	143.16	118.69	82.91	196.00	134.18	68.46	201.00	169.69	84.42
12	CRSP	10.96	2.10	19.16	14.00	5.06	36.14	15.00	10.10	67.33
Total		595.99	501.01	84.06	885.20	490.90	55.46	885.00	819.52	92.60

+ Scheme not in operation during 1999-2000

Legends:

EAS	Employment Assurance Scheme
SGSY	Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana
DRDA	DRDA Administration
JGSY	Jawahar Gram Samridhi Yojana
NSAP	National Social Assistance Programme
IAY	Indira Awaas Yojana
IEC	Information, Education & Communication
ARWSP	Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme
CRSP	Central Rural Sanitation Programme